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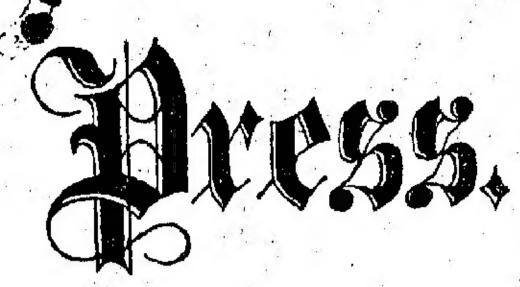
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...... DECEMBER 22ND. 1-57. The proposed Telegraph Convention between the Chinese Telegraph Administration and the Foreign Companies has, it is rumoured practically fallen through. If the collapse of the negotiations was not already complete it can hardly fail to become so after the energetic protests of the Shanghai and Hongkong Chambers of Commerce. The policy of the Telegraph Companies in th Far E at has never been characterised by liberali d. Instead of rates growing cheaper they have been increased, and now that there is a prespect of healthy competition the Companies are anxious that the prospective competitor should join their ring and enter into the agreement that there is to be no lowering of rates. The Shanghai Chamber of Commerce, in their letter to the Doren of the Diplomatic Body at Peking, say :- "In these days the use of the telegraph has l become a recessity in all business operations, and the present charges are a very beavy tax, while much of the business which under the old régime would allow of the use of the lines has now to be abandoned, as the cost is greater than the operation can bear." This is a statement to which all merchants will readily subscribe. The Telegraph Companies, by their illiberal policy, are retarding the growth of trade. Relief has sighed for, and new that the Chinese land lines are so for tre greated that connection with the Russian he can be established, there seems some proced left here yesterday for Whamphe. pret, or perbapa it would be no recorrect to by ought about to the healthy inflaence of competition. But the two commences lost time is setting about their attempt to car off this chance, and, so its is reported, offer the Chinese Telegraph Administration a liberal subsidy as an islucement to it t enter their confederacy, and minimise the · advantages to the public of the establish ment of the new line. The Telegraph Com- all classes of the people. panies have, of course, as much right, legally ! and morally, to fenter into agreements to tory of Knights Templar held on Tuesd y even keep, up rates, as have Shipping Companies | Eminent Preceptor for the ensuing year. or any other class of undertakings. Bu the Chivese Telegraph Administration is vernment, which may be supposed to recognise considerations which may be ignored by the Companies, is therefore involved: and the British and Russian Ministers have, in furtherance of the proposed convention, nam, on the 3rd instant. The matter is therefore one in which the ports of the Far East have done well in addressing the Ministers. The statement that i Sir Juan Walsham has urged the conclu- forts. sion of the convention appears to us to be open to some doubt. The reason given for his alleged action is that he entertains a fear that if rates are lowered the Eastern Extension Company will have to give up its line to but the latest symptoms are less favourable. Hongkong. In face of the yearly growing and highly prefitable traffic of the Company less. The line after leaving Singapore touches Saigon, whence there is a branch line to Tonquin, thence it comes on to Hongkong, day. whence cables are laid to Manila and Macao ; and from Hongkong the line goes on to Corporation, Limited, has received a telegram blanghai. Tonquin, Manila, and Macao are from the head office of the Bunk in London antraffic is, as believe, in itself very valuable, been declared for the half-year ended the Soth With such a profitable field to work the September last. . Company is not likely to be driven off by any moderate reduction in rates. Moreover, Sir John Walsham could hardly have been unimated by any particular for vouritism to the Eastern Extension Company when he made the agreement for the establishment of telegraphic communication between Yun-

man and Burmah, as this will open up still

another route, and so introduce further con-

petition. But, as the Shanghai Chamber

it will be a precedent applying to all Chinese.

lines, and the hopes of the establishment of

a new Frd cheaper route by the South and

through Burmah will have to be abandoned."

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the highest importance, not only from

commercial but also from a national point

of view, as it would draw England and China

closer together. The conclusion of the ! le-

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Convention which would tender the

The Convention must therefore be emphatieally condemned both on polisical and cominercial grounds.

Ar the Criminal Sessions yesterd y HENRY Warson, late wardmaster at the Governmen Civil H spital, was sentence I to seven years penal servitude for embezzing the money and property of a patient who died in that institution. Two months ago WILLIAM HOGG WOLSELY MARKHAM, a Paymister in same Judge, Mr. Justice LEACH, with embezzling public money. The amount involved in the last named case was many times larger than that appropriated by WATSON, and the ricennistances under which positio of the two me were vastly more discred, ble. Yet B' canam is awarded near the Bubbling o'ell, and the result was "a sentence of five years' menal servitude. while WATSON gets one of seven years. MARKHAM was a man with all the advantages of education, appointed to a position BON was a man deawn from a lower rank of life, whose pay was small, who was n supposed to be entries I with the custody of large funds, but whe ming to the absence All letters for publication should be written on one of a proper system, tound money placed in his bands, and vielded to the temptation to appropriate it. MARKHAM produced same. MARKHAM's crime was the greater WATSON'S position in society before his crime was the lower. But because his position in society had been lower than that of MARKHAM is that any reason why the should be visited with a more severe panishment for his come? In his report on the Civi Hospital for 1884 Dr. WHARRY, said :-The calls upon the ward-anaster are constant and so harassing that there is always a risk of his going the way of his predecessors. These almost without exception have succumbed to the pressure; and

however promising and well-recommender on joining the service, have nearly all taken to drink and dissipation." In a subsequent report Dr. WHARRY wrote:-- " M Warson, the European ward-mister, bas taken considerable pains to learn bis davies. and he is now exceedingly useful. His position is a trying one, and his work year bacassing." Finally, after apparently doing good work, he justified the remarks of Dr. WHAR-ET in the earlier of these extricts and did go the way of his predecessors; but so fur as the embezzlement is concerned, the system under which WATSON was allewed have the money in his bands is as a well to animously elected R.W.M., and he was duly inblame as the man himself. He was not engaged to fill a position of trust, and trust ought not to have been thrust upon obligated by W. Bro. C. M. Donaldson and in- Times. him. Yet we find that a can who is specially engaged for a position of trust, who har J. (fould, S.M.; W. Mielenhausen, S.W. superior adventages of education on an disment, and who betrays his trust, is treated he more leviently of the two. This is manifest injustice. Either Markham's sentence was too lenient, or WATSON's has been

The British cruiser Lemider, Captain Dunlop, left here yesterday for a cruise.

The Austrian cruiser Aurora, Captain Muller,

say possibility, of a reduction of cates held g | noor in the Government Ho-pital, of small-pox. from which disease he had been suffering about and fifty. Of these one hundred are a draft for Bro. Wm. Boffey. D. G. Sword Bearer; Bro. H.

(Messrs, Aruhold, harberg & o. a wall calen- | sion, Royal Artillery | The latter, which comes |

The binese festival c une Chi. or winter solstice, commences to-day, the 22nd inst. Sti day of the eleventh muon. It is observed by

O. & O. S. S. to a steamer Belgic, with mails, while the seas were washing right over them. really a state concern, and the Chinese Go- Ac., from San Francisco, hasarrived at Yokohama. On orquiry it was found that the jank was and will sail for this ret on Friday, the 23rd bound from Korea to the Signtone Promontory

A Marine Court will be held at the Harbour Office to-day, at 10.30 a.m., to enquire into the circumstances connected with the loss of the it is said, been using their influence British steamer Line on the east coast of their

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Promethous, which commercial communities of the two chief arrived here the other day, discharged one 25-ton gun. 44 tons of shell, and 15 tons of cartridges at Singapore for the defences the re. She did not

bring any of the big guns for the Hongkong

The telegram to the Strats papers, dated 12th December, conveying the news that M Ferry had been shot at contains the following, which was not forwarded on here :- At first it was thought that M. Ferry's wounds were trifling,

There was a slight full of snow at Hankow on the 12th instant. At Sicawei Shanghai, on on this line such a fear is absolutely base- the 15th instant, the thermometer registered nearly 12 degrees of frost. The N. C. Daily News. says there was plenty of ice on the ponds, and in some shady places it did not melt during the

The Manager of the New Oriental Bank only recently added feeders, and the Manila nonneing that an interim dividend at the rate of 6 per cent, per amount free of the me tax loss

> The Singapore Free Press says the Kisogawa. the steam hopper-dredger built it Holland for the Japanese Government, which left Singapor in the early part of last month for Japan, has fetched up at Minila. The Kilogawa was to have proceeded from Singapore to Hongkong, hence to Yokohama.

The Chinese Times says :- Count Mitkiewicz was expected to have been at Tientain during the present month, to complete his neg distions. We now hear he will not come to China for some time, as argent private affairs, ever which point out, "if this Convention comeinto force he has no control, will necessitate a further stay in the United States.

> The fear that a similar late to that which befell the gunboat Wasp has overtaken the Britisl steamer Ve pasian is fast de apening into a certainty. The latter steamer left Sarg in on the 11th November with a cargo of rice for Manila and las not only not reached her destination, but is; of been heard of since leaving Saigou There is unfortunately little doubt but that she fell in with bad weather and foundered, like the Vorte er . in mid ocean

A correspondent sends as the following fable. I natives do what they like. Kidnapping, slavewhich he thinks very i protos of the struggle at | d uling, and slavery, which elsewhere have been present existing between the local and the checked or put down by the betherlands Indian on the coast of Annam, and it is feared she will beforeign Insurance (ompanies, as well as p ophe- | Government, flourish there without let or hintic of the result. We leave our readers to dis- | drance. Life too is not safe. Murder is rampant cover the application :- "A Bear wishing to) on the shores of North West New Guinea. and overturned it with his paw. Now, said he, sion stations and warms the people against these (Mes. rs. Adamson, Bell & Co.), to whom we are they were, but she understood prisoner to say there was no absolute violence used in the at-I will lie perfectly still and let the boes sting me evil practices, but as no punishment ever follows indebted for a copy of it :-until they are exhausted and powerless; their the older is taken as a mere notification. Under honey mry then be obtained without opposition. such a want of regular government, it is no together prevent this, while still leaving And it was so obtained, bu 'y a fresh boar, the wonder that slavery and blo dshed should be rife China in connection with the Russian lines. other bei. dead."

steps will be taken for improving the sanitary number. Some of these were taken on to their condition by providing drainage. His Excellency destination by the steamer Petrel. The steamer Her M jesty's N. w. w. a charged before the also states that no sales with a view to building Banjermassin, which arrived on the 5th inst.

> which the smell of powder was severe, was fought to imagine." drawn game" one attacking party being success-

Insurance Co. The former company, as usual, noticeable, the imitations of the storm counds issue a handsome card, with a chromo-lithograph | being realistic in a high degree. Two vocal ful information on the back.

upper floor of a house, hearing cries for help coming from the ground floor, ron down and found another Chinaman, named Teo Ah Tong, violently assaulting his wife with a large chopper. He tried to take the weapon from him, but the man had already inflicted four terrible wounds on the woman's head besides chopping off all the fingers of her right hand. Kos Hes succreded in disarming the assassin and took him to the Sirangeon Police Station, where he was bonded over to Inspector Luke. No other conshe died.—Singapore Free Press.

An escape of prisoners in the chain gang took place vesterday afternoon. It appears that a party of convicts numbering about one hundred were amployed on Government works at Lapsup-wan yesterday afternoon about 3.30 p.m. While they were working in range one of them suddenly struck work and commoused to assault the guards in charge of them. During the melee six of the convicts succonded in effecting heir escape. The Police were at once communicated with and steps were immediately taken to recapture the fugitives. A party Police and tro pers proceeded to the spot and in stituted a search among the hills, Mount Davis, and all places where the escaped convicts were likely to have taken refuge. Up to last night none were captured.

428, S.C. held at Shanghai on the 15th instant. the annual installation of office-bearers took formerly one was kept which lived for 18 months place. W. Bro. Brodie A. Clarke, who ruled without eating anything; it invariably refused over the Lodge twelve years ago, had been unstalled into the Chair by R. W. Bro. C. Thorne. Past District Grant Master of Northern China: say the animal sees at night. The orifice of the and the office hearers for the ensuing year were gland somewhat resembles a closed eye.—Straits rested by R. W. Bro. C. Thorne, as follows: . G. Thirkell, I.P.M.; T. Pemberton, D.M. T. Hore, J.W : W. loungson, Transurer: A. Leidrich, S.D. H. Freudenthall, J.D.

A. Palmquist, I.G.; C. Mefritt, Tyler; R. Wor-Bro. Clarke is, the Courter says, the first Scotch. Deputy District Grand Master, presided. The man who has ruled over the Scotch Lodge for following officers we sappointed .- Wor. Bro. The troopship Orontes, which arrived here Warden; Bro. J. B. Ost, D. G. Chaplain yesterday, brought reliefs for the garrison- Wor. Bro. P. Bazonjee, D. G. Treasurer: Wor. stationed here. Her pas-engers were :- Major Bro. R. K. Leigh, D. G. Begietrer, Wor. Bro

Churchill, Northamptonehire Regiment; Major | Paul Jordan, D. G. Pred. Hoard of General Miles, Captain R ynolds, Lient. Vignoles, and Lurposes; Wor. Bro. A. O'D. Gourdia, D. G. Lieu Woodcock, Royal Artillay; Major Secretary; Bro. David Gilles, D. G. Senior Den-Johnston, Cape. Knight, and Land. Blackall, | con; Wor. Bro J McLeavy Brown, D. G Royal Engineers; Captain Clayton, Commis. Junior Descon; Wor. Bro E. A. Crocker, D. G. seriet! Lieut, Bicketts for the Victor Emanuel; Supt. of Works; Wor. Bro. F. A. Hazeland, John Webster, P.C. 103, di d vesterd waf er and Mr. Marston, midshipman for the Anagerious; D.G. Director of Ceremonies; Wor. Bro. Wm. The troops brought number about four hundred Goulbourn, D. G. Assistant of Ceromonies; Wor the Northamptonshire Regiment, and the re- L. Stringer, D. G. Organist; Bro. G. H. Brunt. mainder are the 9th Company Royal Engine re D. G. Puszivant; Wor. Bro. A. J. Hadley, D. We have received from the local regents and the 7th Battery 1st Brigade, Western Diviar for 188 , issued by the Lancashire Insurance | from the Cape, will relieve the 5th Battery. st Brigade, Edstern Division, which will leave by Powell, D. G. Steward Bro. J. W. Ord, D. G. the Orantes for the Cape.

lutely, in which native craft seem to have fared | Wm. Danby and Wor. Bro. W. M. Young. hadly. The steamer Neuchward, on the voyage Power having been given to the Lodge for this from Chefoo to Shanghai, while rounding the year, in commemoration of Her Majesty's At a regular meeting of the Victoria Precept N.E. Promontory, observed a water-logged junk Jubileo, to confer past rank on a brother, this on which were six men. As there was too much | honour was conformed upon Wor. Bro. Captain ing Sir Knight F. A. Haz land was elected sea on to lower a hoat, the steamer ran up along. Croisdale, of the United Service Lodge, who was side the julk, and by the aid of ropes succeeded appointed past D. G. Junior Warden. in hauling the six men on board, the men them-We are informed by the Agent that the selves being too exhausted to help themselves, with burns, and that they had been in the water since 7 am. that day, and were in the last stage. of exhaustion. The German steamer Wismar when passing Ariadne Rock on the voyage from Nagusaki to Shanghai, saw a small fishing boat to the northward, making a signal; took two

Chinese on board, who had been for three days

According to the Shih-pro. translated by the Chinese Times, Dr. Mackenzie of the London Mission in charge of the Viceroy's Hospital at jentsin, who has won widespread reputation by his skill, and to whose services and those of his assistant, Dr. Liu, the people of Tientsin and its entire neighbourhood owe so much, bas again obtained a public recogni fon of his charitable work of State for War. from two important and influential officials. His Honour Yen Hsin-hon, one of the managers of the China Railway Company, and Sub-superintendent of the Salt Gab lle there, and Chen Paocheng have conjointly presented the l'octor and his able a sistant such with an honorary tablet, with these sentiments carved thereon: " He is the Fien Lü of Western Nations." (Pien Lü was a most famous Chinese physician of aucient times), and "He has mastered the subtleties of the Viceroy and others.

We (Mercury) hear that a new feature of the missionary community of Shanghai, 'One of how Protection was reveable, Home Rule never. the native theatres in the Conton Road has been ongaged at a moderately low price for one month. and there is to be a magic lantern entertainment nightly (Eunday excepted). Prof. Bonnell has undertaken to exhibit the views, and a number of missiomry gentlemen will explain their meanings to the Chinese. Several members of the Town Band have been engaged to play selections during the intervals. The first ent riniument; was toler bly well attended, so e 600 Chinese being present. Astronomical views, views of Edinburgh, Russia, laughable farces, etc., were exhibited by Prof. Bonnell, and explained by the Rev. Mr. Muirhead. The prices of admission are the same as at the other Chinese theatres. There was also a most possible rest. good sprinkling of foreign ladies and gentlemen present, and altogether the entertainment ap-

The Straits Times says: Mr. Van Hasselt, Russian Cavalry. a missionary in Netherlands Now Guinea, has furnished a news per in Holland with partientars regarding how matters really stand in THE BRITISH STRAMER "ARDGAY" that partion of the great island. He speaks on the stringth of 20 years' experience. The principal levat of Dutch authority in that remote part of the Indian archipelago lies at I oreh, a port in Gee vinks Bay, where a coal depot has been estaflished. No official at all is stationed here. The even under the Netherlands tricologr.

peared to be a success.

large gathering of foreign men-of-war at seems to be only too common a practice in the Singapore. From Manila there is coming the Straits Settlements. The Free Press says that of the vossels The Ardyay is a steamer of 1,000 German squadror consisting of the Bismarck, "the steamer Choic Phya, when about to leave (flagship) Carola, Olga, and Sophie. From for Penang via Ma'acca and the Native States Europe two Russian corvettes, one Pertuguese on the 9th inst., was detained by an order from gunbout, and the Austrian corvet's Farana with the Master Attendant's Office, her cortificate an Austrian Prince on a craise round the world. of sex-worthiness having expired some time since and the Government Engineer Surveyor We are informed that His Excellency the refusing to give her a new certificate until Governor has declined to grant the prayer of the certain defects in her machinery should be reto the Ardgay. potition requesting that a certain piece of waste paired. The Chow Phya has a licence to carry land at West Point might be converted into a 200 passengers, but it is said that, when detained, public garden, but has stated that immediate she had on board considerably more than that

in the western district will be permitted for the from Java, is currently said to have had on The Banks and stores at Shanghai were closed tondant's Office went on board. This steamer ing selected as above. Although the hour fixed on the afternoon of the 15th instant, and business which, although owned in Singapore, is under generally suspended, to enable the Volunteers to the Dutch flag, is only 260 tons register. What co-operate with a detachment of blue-jackets the result would be in another collision case made till close on the half-hour, and then the it was a blen, having re, rel to the relative from H. B. M.'s men-of-war in harbour in a like that of the Benian and Fir Penang, with "Overs" had but nine men, while the "Unders" grand field day and sham fight. The battle, in such overcrowding of passingers, is not difficult only mustored seven. Shortly afterwards, how-

> appreciated. The power and tone of the fine to voice and sings with much taste. The other

Chorus (Organ) " We come in bright array," Handel. Inflamatus (from Stabat Mater) Solo (Miss Sangster) "O rest in the Lord" Fantasia (in free style), The Storm March (from the Ozatorio "Auraham") Molique.

Owing principally to the rewards offered by veyance being available a bullock cart was sent H. H. the Saltan, many alligators are being killto fetch the wounded woman to Hospital, where ed in Johore waters. Last week four were taken in the vicinity of the town. The largest mensured 13 feet 5 inches; it was a female, very old, and had lost all its teeth. Some Malays came upon it supping itself on the bank of the river escape, they had an opportunity of belabouring it on the head; this freatment stunned it apparently, as it was easily bound by ropes and rattans and brought into town. On being opened, it stomach, which was much distanded, revested the presence of a pig weighing about 100 cattles, 2 black mankeys, 3 fowls, 10 small stones, piece of a broken bowl, and a lot of small bones. taken a few very small stones and a Chinese coin to which was attached a white bead-such as and is kept in a tank at Iskander Hall, where Under the throat of the alligator are two glands. | victorious by three goals to one. called by the Mulays mala malam, whereby they

The affinal meeting of the District Grand lodge of Hongkong and South China was held yesterday ev ling. In the absence of Right Worshipful Beo. C. P. Chater, District Grand Master, Very Worshipful Bro. Gower, the W. M. B. Arthur, D. G Senior Warden; Wor. Bro. F. E. C. Georg, D. G. Junior G. Assistant Pursuivant; Bro. A. D. Diath, D. Steward; Bro. J. E. Edmonds, D. G. Steward Bro. G. : . Jordan, D. G. Stewerd; Bro. C. Steward ; Bro. T. Hotherington, D. G. Steward Bro. J. R. Grimble, D G. Tyler; Un-officia There has been some severe weather up North | Members Board of General Purposes, Wor. Bro.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 19th December. RUSSIA AND AUSTRIA. Owing to Russia massing troops on the Austro-

Hungarian frontier and the manifest ho tility of the Russian press, the Austro-Hungarian Government have devoted twenty million floring for active military preparations. IMPORTANT CONFERENCE IN

GERMANY. The Emperor of Germany has held a conferance with Prince William, Count Moltke, Count Waldersee, and M. Schellendorff, the Secretary

FROM SINGAPORE PAPERS. GREAT MEETING OF LIBERAL UNIONISTS. LONLON, 9th December.

There has been a great meeting and banques of the Liberal Unionists at Bakewell, Derbyshire, at which a number of prominent mon were diseases." These tablets are now hung up at the present. Lord Hartington admitted that the Vicercy's Hospital among those presented by activity of a section of the Tory party in favour of Fair Trade might imperil coalition, but said that the Unionist Leaders would not support work amongst the Chinese has been started by this being made ground for egitation, for any-

> [FROM STRAITS PAPERS.] LONDON, 11th December. THE POPE'S JUBILEE.

The Duke of Norfolk and two attaches start on Monday on a special mission from Queen Victoria to felicitate His Holiness on the occasion of his Jubilee. Berlin, 12th December.

PRINCE BISMARCK'S HEALTH. Prince Bismarok has been taken suddenly ill, but has recovered. The Doctors order the ut-RUSSIA AND AUSTRIA.

The semi-official Kussian papers ridicule the

scare in Austria regarding the massing of

ASHORE.

To the long catalogue of shipping disasters this winter another has now to be added. The British steamer Ardgay, which left here on the 13th inst. in ballast for Bangkok, has gone ashore come a total loss the coast being very rocky. Yesterday morning the following message an-

"QUANG-NGAI, 18th December, 7 p.m. " The steamer Ardgay, Captain Cook, went ashere on December 15th at Cape Batangan. Ex-

The telegram was signed by the chief engineer quite sure the gold coins he paid her in were had used a little violence although he did not tons, and has been engaged for some time in the coasting trade. Arrangements were mad for the steamer Taichiow, which left here yesterday at noon for Bangkok, to call at the scene of the accident and render any assistance possible

FOOTBALL.

OVER TWENTY-FIVE V. UNDER TWENTY-FIVE

The opening match of the season was played board 272 passengers, all of whom came astrone yesterday on the ground at Wong-nei-cheong before a bearding officer from the Master At- under Association rules, the opposing teams befor commencing was 4.15 p.m. a start was not ever, a few more players arrived making the that the jury had nothing to do. In order to At St. John's Cathedral, on Tuesday evening, numbers ten on each side. During the earlier meet the circumstances of the case two other ful, while snother was overpowered and repulsed. Mr. Sangater gave an organ recital. There was a part of the game play was decidedly in favour large attendance, and the performance was much of the "Overs," who kept the ball well in their Yesterday we received quite a batch of calen- instrument recently acquired for the Cathedral opponents quarters, giving the "Unders," goaldars from Messrs. Stolterfolt & Hirst, the were well brought out in the various pieces in. keeper a very lively time of it. Several good honour and trust, which he hot raved. War- agents for the Scottish Union & National 'n- cluded in the programme, and in "The Storm" runs were made, but the "Unders" managed to surance Co. and the London & Lancashir. Fire the effectiveness of the stops was especially keep their goal intact till Atkinson, after a fine run, shot the ball between the posts and caused view in Scotland, the scene this time being solos were included in the programme. In one the "Unders" to lower their colours. On the the property was not taken till after that, date Brodick Bay, Arran, a smaller calendar for the of these, "O rest in the Lord," Miss Sangster ball being re-started play was still chiefly condesk, and a net pocket almanac. The latter made her first appearance before a public and fined to the "Unders'" ground, Caldwell, Gow. company's card calendar gives a quantity of use- dience. Miss Sangster possesses a good contral and Atkinson being conspicuous by their good again worked down the field, and some loose play close to touch, Gow gaining possession of the ball, after a short run, scored another goal for the "Overs" which, however, was disallowed on the ground of his being off side. On the "leather" being again set rolling the "Unders" played in better style. was called and the game at this stage stood one

goal to the credit of either side. On play recommencing the "Unders" turned the tables on not intend to steal this property why did he go Belder, seamen on board the American Ship their opponents by carrying the game into their to Canton ! Why, when asked to hand over the Aden Besse, who were charged on the the little quarters. Some excellent runs were made by property by the steward, did be not immediately instant with receiving a blanket, and a pair of Hall, Graham, and Wilkie, the latter of whom after a fine dribble gained another goal for the "Unders." Repeated assaults were made on the Canton, where he was arrested. If he were an defendants were discharged. Over's" goal which was relieved by Hall who after an excellent run nearly the length promise and handed the property over. When A smaller alligator was taken alive; it measured of the whole field came very near scorseven feet nine inches. Out of its at mach was ing, but unluckily shot too high sending party of Mr. Beasch, were found in his possesthe ball just over the cross-bar. Graham now sion. This property was found in his postession. children wear round the wrist or neck. Another | made several splendid runs, and after one of them animal measured five feet, and the last was a was rewarded by socing his shot land neatly be-At a meeting of the Cosmopolitan Lodge, No. Laby, only 9 inches long. The latter is alive tween the uprights, thus gaining a third goal he had received this property. The recent posfor his side. Some smart play now took place session of stolen property was evidence of guilt. on both sides, but no ad 'itions to either score to eat, although off-red fish, fowl, bread, de, were made, and the call of time left the "Unders"

SUPREME COURT

21st December.

IN RIMINAL SESSIONS.

Before Mr. A. J. Leich. Acting PUISNE JUDGE. THE LARCENY AT THE GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL.

Henry Watson, late wardmaster at the Goorginant Civil Hospital, was charged with Prisoner pleaded not guilty.

and the prisoner was undefended.

patient. He had come down by steamer from to the protection which must be afforded had been taken to the hospital, he went there | punishment I can give you is seven years' about 4 p.m. with his master's property, among | imprisonment with hard labour. That is the which was a gold watch and chain, a diamond | sentence on the first count. On the second ring, a gold scarf-pin, a pair of gold sleeve links, count you are sentenced to two years' imprison- hard labour. a purse containing gold coins, and a Japanese | ment, the two sentences to be concurrent. gold onin. The boy would tell them that the property was handed over to the prisoner, who was then a wardmaster in the Government Civil Hospital. He should prove to them that with other persons unknown they did piratically on the 1st November prisoner was asked about attack the Mo Hing trading junk off Cape the property and said that it was in his posses- D'Aguilar on the 17th November, and with sion and he would give it up in the morning. stealing property from the junk to the value of That was said to Mr. Rogers, the steward of the \$250, and forther with assumiting Mo Kum and

hospital, who would be called and who would Ti Ayee. tell them that he did not do so and he did not see the prisoner again. Prisoner disappeared, and

verdict of guilty against the prisoner.

but with the centre stone removed.

hables with the st ward. Cross-examined by the prisoner, witness said | guilty.

be was not in the hospital at 'the time Beusch handed over the property to prisoner. Alfred Gascoyne Wise, Rogistrar of the Supreme Court, said in his capacity of official administrator of intestate estates, letters of could see, with regard to both prisoners and he administration were granted to him in respect quite agreed with the jury in the view they to Mr. Bensch's property.

that on the night of the 30th October prisoner too prevalent, indeed it seemed to be on the inpaid her \$40 in gold coins, on account of a debt crease rather than the decrease about the coasts of \$50. She did not know what sort of coins of Hongkong. He took into con ideration that they were French coins. She had not them in lack, but he had no doubt that had resistance her possession now. She remembered seeing been offered they would have taken measures; a ring on his finger. The ring shown to her to repress it. They bearded this junk armed to appeared to be the same one.

neither severeigns nor half severeigns.

This concluded the evidence. Prisoner in his defence, stated that when he went to Canton he had no intention of abscondevidence of the Japanese boy, and he swore to the for the last eight years. He said that the ring

have done it in the time. His Lordship, in addressing the jury, said this hard labour. was an important case from the position ocenpied by the prisoner in the public service. The ndictment against the prisoner was first that being in the public service he did steal certain property belonging to Herman B-usck, and secondly thestealing of the property simply. The difference between the first and second count and prisoner was therefore discharged. was a question of punishment, as the trime being committed while the prisoner was a public servant made the punishment heavier; but with counts were added, because if they came to the conclusion that the theft had been committed after the death of Mr. Beusch then the property if it were stolen must have been stolen from him. If they came to the conclusion that the property was stolen between the 30th October and the 1st November they would find the prisoner guilty on the first and second counts; if they thought

and fourth counts. The facts of the case were | Yanmati, with the largesty of 3.7 in silver and very simple and the evidence itself very plain, 124,000 cash, seven pieces of clothing, one purse, but it was his duty to direct their attention to and a piece of cloth of the value of \$61.70, on to voice and sings with much taste. The other play. The "Unders," however, were now and one or two points. It present that Mr. Beu-ch the 13th instant, at Yaumati. A brutel murder has been committed at Singa. the martial music was well suited to his fine again relieved by Wilkie and Huntsman, the went to the Government Civil Hospital on the Tsang Wong I was called by the complainant certificates of churic er; War-on did the pore. Kee Hee, a Chinaman, living on the coice, and was given with good effect. The fol- latter of whom all but scored on two successive of the coice, and was given with good effect. The folthe 2nd November. When he want to the hospital did not know the number of his stall. his boy did not accompany him but followed later. Tuesday morning he was playing outside the after in the day with the property in question, which market, when the prisoner came up with four was handed over to the prisoner. The evidence, strings of 1.0 0 cash each under his arm. He so far as it implicated the prisoner from the 30th engaged witness to carry the cash to Kun October to midnight on the 1st November, rested | Chang which he lid, and for that service prichiefly on the statements of the witness Lily somer gave him two cents. Woodlief, and from her evidence the presumption : Prisoner said after breaking open the boxes they were entitled to draw was that the coins he was asked to share in the spoil, but he refusused in her house were part of the pro- ed to have anything to do with it. The last perty of Mr. Bousch. The presumption nature witness was one of those who assisted in breakwith the result that Wilkie gained a goal for the ally arising from her oridence was that the ing open the boxes. Unders." Immediately after this half-time prisoner had taken the coins and the ring with the intention of stealing them. There day, bail being allowed in \$250.

were two other presumptions which they might draw from the evidence. If the prisoner did do so? He promised to give it up the next morn- trousers, the property of the Crown, knowing them ing, and the next morning he disappeared, and to have been stolen, were brought apagain next thing heard of him was that he was in No further evidence was produced, and the innocent man surely be would have fulfilled his arre-ted in Canton a number of articles, which there would be no reasonable doubt were the protwo or three days after the death of Beach and four or five days after, as he bimself had admitted by the questions put to the witnesses. not conclusive avidence, but evidence to go before a jury. There were these three presumntions, and the jury were entitled to draw conclusions from them that the prisoner was guilty unless, looking at the whole evidence of the case, there was something to contradict and rebu se presumptions. He had no doubt they had

simple a nature that he did not think it was necessary for him to review it, and he should now. therefore, ask them to consider their verdict. The jury, after a short absence from the Court, unanimously found the prisoner guilty on the first and second counts. On being asked whether he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed, prisoner

list, ned carefully to the evidence, and it was of so

replied he had not, but wished to hand to his Lordship testimonials as to his good character extending over a period of ten years. His Lordship, having examined the testimonials, said-Prisoner at the bar you have been dealing cortain articles, the property of a patient | found guilty of larceny as a public -- ereaut and of ordinary larceny. I contine fully in the verdict of the jury. I think there can be no reasonable The Acting Attorney-General prosecuted, doubt, looking at the evidence of Lily Woodlief. with whom by your own questions, you admit The following gentlemen served on the jury: that you passed the night of the 30th October. -Messrs. A. dos Remedios, E. da Luz, G. Allen, | that you paid her money. You would have been J. A. Burretto, J. P. Rice, Luk U Chun, and better advised if you had asked fewer questions of the witness. When you talk about the ring The Acting Attorney-General, in charging you had on your finger you admit your own the jury, said the prisoner was charged upon | guilt. You were occupying an important posifour counts, but there was really only one transact tion as a public servant in the hospital, and you ion. The first c unt charged him with having, take advantage of a sick man's prostestion to while employed in the public service, stolen cer- | retain valuable property which was handed to you fain property from Mr. Beusch. The second instead of handing it over to the steward as faid charged him simply with larceny. The third | down in the regulations; a copy of which was found and fourth counts were the same except that the in your room, and the moment suspicion arises. property instead of being laid upon Mr. Beasch you leave Hongkong for Canton. It is true-that was laid upon the Registrar of the Supreme Court | when you were arrested you said a portion of the as official administrator. The reason of this property was in a drawer in your quarters at was because if the property were stolen during | the bospital, but as to what has become of that Mr. Beusch's lifetime prisoner would be guilty | there is no evidence. The property tound on on either the first or second count, but if after I you, it is true, you gave up directly, but if you his death he would be guilty on the third or | did not intend to steal it, why did you take it fourth count. He should prove to them that laway with you! The only conclusion one can prisoner was one of the wardmasters of the Go- draw is that you intended to steal it, and vernment Civil Hospital, and that on the 3 th] in the verdict of the jury I quite concur October a German gentleman, named Beusch, Looking at the circumstances of the case was admitted to the hospital as a first class and the position which you occupied, as well as Japan and was passing through, but being taken | patients from persons in your position, and in ill was unable to proceed. Mr. Bousch's Ja- order that your case may act as a warning to panese boy would be called, and he would tell others occupying the same position to deter them them that on the 30th October, after his master from committing similar offences, the least

Fu Ki and Li Kiu were charged that together

Prisoners pleaded not guilty. The Acting Attorney-General, in his charge he was arrested in Canton on the 4th November | to the jury, said the prisoners were charged with with some of Mr. Bousch's property on his per- piratically attacking the Mo Ming trading junk. son. When told the charge against him he The junk left Pou King Lun for Hongkong said he had the gold watch and chain and dia- early on the morning of the 17th November with mond ring, and handed these articles to the Ser- a cargo-of pigs and ducks and having also on board genut who arrested him. With respect to the about seventy pieces of eilver. Besides the master gold coins, he should prove that prisoner paid | there were only two other Chinamen on bourd a certain number of these gold coins to a woman i Albut noon on the same day, when they arrived in Guge Street for a debt he owed her. Having | close to Cape D'Aguitar Lighthouse, they saw a proved these facts, as he felt sure he should be | one-masted junk close behind them which came able to do, he should confidently ask them, for a close to them and fired. The Mo Hing junk stopped and six men, who were armed with swords Police Sergeant Macdonald, the first witness and revolvers, took possession of the Mo Hing called, gave evidence as to arresting the prisoner | junk. Both junks then sailed to an island of When arrested, prisoner admitted having cor- Cape D'Aguilar, where they landed the crew of tain articles of Mr. Bensch's property with him, the captured junk. The crew got a fishing boat, Cross-examined by the prisoner, witness said of the junk spont two days in looking for his prisoner did not tell him that he had left the boat. Not being able to find it he lodged a comwhole of the property in the drawer is his room | plaint with the Police. In consequence of that, at the hospital. He said be hadleft part of it there. on the 22nd November, he was sent for to Yau-Imamura Noski, Japanese boy to Mr. Beasch. mati, and he would tell them that while walking gave evidence as to handing over the property along the Prayathere with a Police constable he saw to prisoner. He identified the articles in court | the first prisoner, who was accordingly arrested. as belonging to his late master, with the excep- Another constable knew where the first prition of the ring, which appeared to be his master's soner lived, and thinking he might find some of one pirates there went to the house, where he George Rogers, steward at the Government saw the second prisoner looking over the veran-Civil Hospital, said he asked prisoner about the dah. This constable would tell them that before property and he a mitted having it, and said he saying anything to him the prisoner called out would hand it over the next morning. He never | to them " Look at me carefully before you say saw prisoner uge in antil he saw him at the Police attacked your junk." The man was arrested, and Court. The regulations he produced were found on the 30th November the second witness Ti in the prisoner's quarters. A copy of them was Ayee was taken to the good and there picked issued to each wardmaster. Aute No. I said, out the two prisoners from a number of other that when a wardmast eradmitted a patient to the men. The question was entirely one of identity Hospital he should ask him to deposit his va- and if the jury believed the evidence of those two witnesses he should ask them for a verdict of

After bearing the evidence the jury found the prisoners guilty by a majority of six to one. His Lordship, in sentencing the prisoner-said the evidence was perfectly clear, as far as be had taken that both prisoners had engaged in a Lily Woodlief, residing at 4, Gage Street, said | piratical attack upon this junk. Piracy was far the terth with knives and pistols, and he must deal Cross-examined by prisoner—She had taken with them severely in order to deter others from

The Straits Times says :- We shall soon have The overcrowding of small passenger steamers poot as "care of core eight for him before. She was committing a similar offence. The first prisoner that the second prisoner did notoffer violence to anyone. By a recent Ordinance passed here, piracy, besides being punished with imprisoning. He intended returning to the hospital. ment, was, at the discretion of the court, punish-The whole of Mr. Bousch's property he left in a lable with whipping, whether it had been acdrawer in his room. The jury had heard the companied by violence or not. The first prisoner would be sentenced to five years' imprisonment watch and chain simply through seeing them with hard labour and to be privately whipped once on the breech with ten of strok sof the rathad been tampered with, that the diamond had tan. In the case of the second prison or he should been taken out and replaced by a sapphire, but if make a distinction to there was no evidence to he (prisoner) had wished to do so he could not show that he used any violence, and he therefore sentenced him to ive years' imprisonment with

> PRISON RS DISCHARGED. In the case of John Roy, late wardmaster of the Government Civil Hospital, who avas charged with siding and abetting Watson in the larceny from a patient, the Acting Attorney-General said he did not intend to file any information. In the case of Sz Sui Sam, charged with embozzlement, the Acting Attorney-G meral wild that the act alleged was not committed within the jurisdiction of that Court, and he did not therefore intend to proceed with the charge. Prisoner was accordingly discharged.

> > POLICE COURT

20th December. BEFORE MR. N. G. MITCHELL-INNES.

Chan Aki, described as a salt smurgler, was then they would return a verdict on the third charged by Lau Hang Chung, tishmo wer, of

At this stage the case was remanded till this

CHARGE OF RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS. Charles Morrison, John Perkin, and Federick

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

INDECENT: XPOSITION OF PERSONS Work Ayau and Man Awai were brought unon a charge of indecently expesing their persons in the public street on the 20th instant, and were fined 32 each, or, in default, four tean days' hard labour.

LARGENY OF CARPENTER'S TOOLS Li Ahun, carpenter, was charged by another carpenter, named Chan Lik, with the larceny of carpenter's tools to the value of \$3. The charge was fully proved and prisoner sent to gool for six weeks with aard abour.

CHARGE OF EMBYZZLEMENT. Sz Sui Sun, the Shanghai clerk against whom charge of embezzlement was brought by Mr. Osear Brandt, was now brought up by the same gentleman on a fresh charge, that, being bulled to the sum of \$20 he did from inlently take and convert to his own use and thereby feloniously did steal same on the 11th November The case was formally called and remanded till this day, bail being allowed in one surety of 3250 or money deposit.

Chu Chang Wing, coolie, was charged with the largeny of seven pieces of clothing, value Sa, the property of Ip Ayoung, a shopkeeper, and was sentenced to three months imprisonment

with hard labour. Lan Ayee, a farmer, was brought up on a

charge of carrying mas without a reasonable excuse, on the 20 instant. Sikh Constable ditt Sing's stated that he saw the prisoner on the 20th instant, at 11.45 a.m., manner. The prisoner was carrying a bag, and being asked what was in it he said that it contained shoes. With as opened the bag and found in it three unloaded revolvers and twelve cartridges. He arrest d him, and at the station \$63 in silver was found in a mat bag around prisoner's waist, and another revolver wrapped up in a piece of cloth.

Prisoner stated that he came from Pun Lat in the Tung Kan district. The money was buy rice with. The revolvers were sent him by his brother to be repaired. The case was remanded.

DRUNKENNESS. Henry Southerwood and William Warren, seamen, were brought up on a charge of being drunk and incapable in the streets, and were fided

OBSTRUCTING THE FAIRWAY IN THE HARBOUR. The masters of cargobouts Nos. 15, 16, 20, 74, and 78 were charged by Alexand r Nevin, P.C. 96, with obstructing the fairway of stemmors ov anchoring their craft in places prohibited by the Harbour regulations, and they were filled UNLAWFULLY BOARDING A STEAMER.

Ten Chinese, touter, shopkeeper, coolie, boy, &c., were charged with unlawfully bourding the sterner Prometheus on the 19th just, while she was under weigh. Four of them were discharged and the rest fined \$25 each, or six weeks"

Two Chinesestonecutters were charged with boiling and preparing opium without a certificate from the Opium Farmer, on the 20th staut. After hearing the evidence of the excorofficers, one of them was fined 550 or six weeks hard harbour, and the other was discharged.

FOR CHOW RACES.

The results of the Foochow Races are published by the Shanghai Marcury as follows :-First Day, 14th December.

The MAIDEN STAKES: forced, of \$10 cach, with \$50 added; for subscription griffins; weights as per scale. Three-quarters of a mile. The Russian Cup; (presented); value \$1(0);

for all (hina ponies; weights as per scale; entrance, 85. One mile. The COMPRADORES' CUP; (presented); value 8- I ivided 70, 20 and 10 per cent to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd ponies; for subscription

griffins; winner of the Maiden Stakes 7 lbs. penalty; entrance, \$5. One mile and a quarter. The STAND STAKES, of \$10 each with (50) added; for all China ponies; weights as per

scale; winner of the Russian Cup 7 lbs. penalty. 'One mile and a half. The CHAASZE CUP; (presented); value 3-; 75

and 25 per cent to first and second ponies; for subscription griffins; weights asperseale; winners 10.hs. extra; entrance, forced, \$5. Seven Tipster

SECOND DAY, 15th December. The LEDGER CUP; (presented); for subscription griffias; winners 10lbs, extra; previous non-starters 71bs, extra; entrance, forced, \$5. Half a mile.

Black Satin The RACING STAKES, of \$10 each, with \$25 each from the Club to 1st and 2nd ponies; for all China ponies; weights as per scale; winners at this meeting 10lbs, extra. Threequarters of a mile.

The TEA MERCH MIS CUP: (presented by the Tenmen); value 3-; 70, 20, and 10 per cent to the lat, 2nd, and 3rd ponies; for subscription griffins; winners7lbs extra; entrance, \$5. One mile and a half.

ponies; for all him ponies; weights as per Beale; winners at this meeting 71bs, extra; on-

trance, \$5. One mile and a quarter, Baltic 1 -.

Dick

The FOOCHOW STAKES; forced, of \$10 each. Champion race for subscription griffins; second pony to receive \$25, 3rd pony \$15, from the Club; weights as per scale. One mile. Glongarry

THIRD DAY, 16th December. The LUSITANO CUP, (presented by the Portuguese Community); for subscription griffins: three or more ponies to start from opposing stables, or no race; weights as per scale; win- vague and imperfect, it is questionable whether of a mile.

S5. Once round.

at this meeting; weights as per scale. One all dealing with the first breach more difficult.

The Champion Stakes, of \$10 each with \$75 per scale. One mile and a quarter. Mayflower1

The NII. DESPERANDUM STAKES, of \$10 each : for bond fide beaten subscription griffing; first os por seale. Once round. Primus

THE BONDED WAREHOUSE QUES-TION AT SHANGHAL

Mr. Ma Kie'-Tehong, Director of the China ground in China rayaged and depopulated in Merchants' S. N. Co., writes as follows to the the Toiping a palen rebellions, which might N. C. Deily News :- As the leader in your be occupied an i can isated. issue of the 12th in-tant relating to the recent meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, called to consider the introduction of Bonded Wurehouses, titute, helpless, famine-stricken and despairing, appears to myself only to onqueinte the views of one section of the mercantile community, I said. The Taotai of those days was a very would ask of you for space in your columns to practical and high-minded man. He fed the point out what may be equally fairly advanced people as well as he could from his poor resouras regards the other side of the question.

At the solicitation of the represents ives of friendly Fowers. H.I.C.M 's Government has decided to concede the storage of merchandise in the Taotai was at his wit's end, and it become ON CALCUTTA. "Bonded Warehouses" and, notwithstanding the necessary to get rid of the refugees. He quickobjections to which you have accorded your sup- Iv made decision. Along the line of the Grand port, it seems to myself but natural that in so doing | Canal, between Chinckiang and Soochow, there it should delegate the execution of the scheme were large spaces of waste ground, deserted and to a body consisting entirely of its own nationals out of cultivation. The lands are among the and which is already entrusted with numerous most fertile of China, but the Taipings had deduties by the State.

As illustrating the underiable force of this walled towns were in ruins, without one inhabiargument I would ask, supposing Chinese mer- | tant. The villages were in ruins; the once forchants in number were to emigrate to England, tile fields were overgrown with weeds. The can it be imagined for a single instant that they | Chingkiang Taotai collected the refugees, formed would be permitted to have the control of the them into bands under head-men, and sent them Bonded Warehouses in London? Than take the to the deserted districts. He gave them coarse next country in importance in its dealings with rice to subsist upon for a time, seed for crops, China, America; it positively would not be safe. and cuttings of mulberry trees. The rebel ravage in that "land of freedom" for any one to even had been so complete that even to this date most such a thing! The restrictions imposed on | scarcely any of the ground has been reclaimed Chinese in the United States are of too notorious by the original owners; they were destroyed a character to need my dwelling thereon.

It may possibly be sought to contend that the by the once miserable and starving squatters. laws of Extraterritoriality obtaining in China Last year the 60,000 had increased to over militate to some extent against the comparison 400,000, and as other people have come in the I have instituted; but should such a plea be set lands are now again fully populated, and in all are in accordance with Treaty stipulations.

I desire further to point out that it by no be sure to follow. But decision should be taken means follows that the foreign Companies would quickly. - Chinese Times. be at a loss for employment, as there would still would apply to a large amount of goods; then of water, and the agents had to distribute relief for bonding.

matter of much difficulty.

mises of the company are amply sufficient to terrace against often both wind and tide; on H.I.C.M.'s Customs."

Chamber of Commerce might with greater pro- more than one or two in 10 are left with walls in

to the Diplomatic Corps at Peking.

THE SI VENTH PRINCE. in the house, and the mourners at the gate. minated as the next adviser to the Throne, to escape; now only a few small boats are availcharge of his functions, and since his dismissal weather wadded cotton clothes will be essential. Kung is incomparably the most experienced in earnest helper, and gave Tls. 400 besides assistaffairs of all Chinese statesmen, and was an ex- ing in the superintendence of charitable work. his re-instatement in the Presidency of the Trung- | Show-chow the people are fierce and rude, and Just before going to press (10th Dec.) we of Show-chow has induced the Brigadier to send received a telegram from Poking, saying the 4 gunboats, but it is anxious work, for the waters Empress, escorted by the Emperor, had made—may suddenly subside and the gunboats be what we fear is—a farewell visit to His Imperial unable to move unless pushed through the mud Highness the Seventh Prince. The interview and sluice; there may too be ice. As for the is described as having been very affecting. The funds for Chow-chia-k'ou it is proposed to send Empress and Emperor both wept bitterly on them under care of the magistrate there. In the seeing the condition of His Imperial Highness, beginning by Ming dynasty, from Heiang-He suffers much from pain and exhaustion, but chong to Eing-shan and E. to Show-chow and bears bis sufferings with fortifude. We grieve Cheng-yang, the water entered the Huai, and to say that unless a sudden change at once occurs | river outbreaks and repairing were continual and for the better the Prince's recovery will be impos- E. An-hui endured great disasters. The two sible. His disease is now in a very acute stage, outlets for it at Chia Hill were too narrow; and and nature cannot bear it much longer .- Chinese the water overflowed into all the low places,

more than one-third of the imports into Euro- ingly rose to the W. If it was so, then, now pean Russia came from Germany, and nearly that the E. River and the Huai come together 30 per rent from Great Britain. In manu- and have no place of exit, what a length of time factured articles Russia imported from Garmany will clapse and how great will be the expenditure during the year goods to the talm of 36,540,824, before all can be remedied. Charitable gentlemen roubles (about £3,322,000), whilst next in order are still begged to assist. All say that the disсаше Great Britain with 19,600,000 roubles tress increases the higher up you go; this winter (about £1.782.000). Austria-Hungary with the distress is great, but next spring it may be 6,500,000 roubles (about £5 0.000), and France much worse, in the season between the autumn with 2.900.000 roubles (about £269,000). The and spring crops. To-morrow the agent leaves total value of imports in 1884 was 486,300,000 for the country further on. roubles (about £11,200,000); in 1885, 379,800,000 } roubles (about £34.527,000). The slight increase in last year over 1885 is due to heavy importations at the close of the year, in anticipation of gentleman of Irish extraction; "we never strew increased Customs duties.—Industries,

THE YELLOW RIVER FLOODS.

We are much grieved to learn that a new breach has occurred in the southern bank of the Huang-ho of about 350 feet wide, also that it mny be that the country submerged must remain so. The damage is so vast, and the difficulties to be met are so great, that repair and reclamation seem almost impossible. According to the accounts we have certainly

ners 71bs. extra; entrance, \$5. Three-quarters the flooded districts in Honan and Anhui can now be reclaimed, or, indred, will be worth the costs of reclamation. If, as usual, the The Labres Puese, (presented); for all Foli. Huang-ho overflow has been full of sand, the kien owned ponies; weights as per scale; win- washings of denuded surfaces, the ground now ners at this meeting 7lbs. extra; subscription under water will, when drained, be found sterile. griffins, owners up, allowed 71bs.; outrance. The cities and villages are destroyed, the smaller water-courses are vilterat 1; and it might be best to leave the ground under water as it now The Co solation Stakes, of S5 each; 75 per, is. In any case many years must elapse before cent, to first and 25 per conf. to second pony; the waters, in some parts tifteen feet deep, can be for all bour fide boaten ponies that have run drained away, and the new break of bank makes We are greatly concerned to hear that the miseries of the unhappy people of the cities. towns, and villages now under the waters of added; a forced entry for all winners at this the Huang-ho scarcely admit of alleviation. meeting, except the winner of the Consolation: The crops are destroyed, the stores of grain are winners of two races at this meeting \$15 extra. lost, and the miserable people have lost houses. of more than two races \$40 extra; weights as forniture, money, cattle, in fact everything. There are no spaces of dry ground available for refuge; no materials for hutting or protecting the people from the winter cold; no food, and no means of getting any from other places. pony 60, second 30, third 10 per cent of the is doubtful whether material can be collected Stakes with \$30, \$20 and \$10 added: weights together for repairing the broken banks, and in three or four months from this time the snows will begin to melt, the upper reaches of the river will then rise, and new floods will pour over the submerged country. The loss of life, and the general affliction among the sufferers during this winter will be appalling. It might be well to devise some rough and ready means of emigra-

tion. There are still vast spaces of fertile

After 1865 a great number of destitute men. women, and children-young and old-all descame around Chingkiang. Some 60,000 it was ces, as Chingkiang too had been ravaged in the rebellion that had remilered the crowd of refugees homeless and destitute. Soon, however, vastated the districts most effectually. Large root and branch, so the land is now possessed

up. I would maintain that the conditions under | China there are no more thriving, well ordered, which Foreigners abide on these shores have and comfortable communities. From the districts never as yet been construed into a right to in- deserted in 1865 the yield of silk in 18 6 was terfere with the collection of duties by the Imper. not much short of 10,000 bales. We give our lal government in its cwn way, so long as these | figures as we received them, but with all reserve, yet are sure our account is correct in the main. Then as to the alleged injury to the interests The Imperial Government should move the of foreigners; while it is at all times difficult, people from the flooded districts to the grounds where a radical change is involved, such as that | which are on the Po-yang, and in other places. under consideration, to avoid some inconvenience | naturally fertile and still waste for want of being experienced at the outset, I would observe people. For the ruled people of Honan and that this would at most re-act on a circumscribed | Anhui to wait for the subsidence of the flood section of the community, to wit the owners of waters would be monstrous' folly, years must Wharf property, of whom Mr. Macreegor of clapse, and the grounds, we repeat, are probably. the firm of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. ruined. As the Chinese take well to leadership, constituted bimself the champion at the recent and are easily disciplined, sections should be sent meeting under reference. Thus take any under head-men to available spaces, with food ordinary firm, not at all interested in whar- for a time, seed to sow, and an allowance of ves, it should be a matter of the most implements. The cost will not be serious, absolute indifference to them whether and the outlays would after a time come their merchandise be stored in the China Mer- back on revenue, Even we see in Shantung, chants', Shanghai and Hongkew and Jar-where from the destruction of trees the earth is dine's Associated Wharves, or the Pooting becoming more and more dry and sterile, the China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$151 Wherf Company's Godowns. That this is so is, distressed hu bandmen, whose fields are no Luson Sugar Refining Company. Limited—\$55 INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION amount of interest in the meeting evinced by the much hardship at first, surmount it, and form general body of subscribers to the Chamber of in a few years well-ordered and thriving com-Commerce, as proved by the extremely limited munities. If the Government gave the miserable attendance, making the formation of a quorum a peoples of Hona: and Anhui a chance to settle in other places, the most excellent results will

be accommodation needed for Imports of a duty. The Shen-pao says :- The Shanghai relief : free nature, as for those " indented " for or sold | agency is in receipt of a letter from its agent to "to arrive" or on which the outlay of duty the effect that he has had great d fliculty in prowould otherwise appear likely to be but of brief secuting enquiries among the people living west duration, which in these days of "quick sales" of Chang Yang. There is a boundless expanse too space would be required by Chinese mer- from small boats. From Liu-chia-chi he had chandise which is not affected by the scheme to go against the current to Ying shan, where the waters are 35 miles broad. Shallows, rocks A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-65 per cent. . I would additionally observe, since some doubt and tree roots make travelling dangerous in was cast thereon at the meeting, that the pre- boats, and it is slow work going from terrace to ment any call which may be made on them by these terraces from 100 to a dizen families were Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-\$21 often congregated. In the district 27 parishes In my estimation then, the outery which has are flooded, and the terraces (or raised spots) been raised, chicfly as I believe by a limited are about three miles apart and numbr 10 to 17 group of owners of property, is altogether pre- in each parish. The work of enquiry is hazinsture, and I consider that, quite apart from ardons and difficult, and not more than 3/10 the rights in the matter of the Imperial Go. of the district has been visited. To day is a high Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-9 per cent. vernment, to which I have already alluded, the N.W. wind, with high waves. Of houses not priety await the trial of the system before con- ruins and half under water, mon rest on tops of demning it, and embodying a plaint thereanent | these houses. . . . ose of the old who do not die of hunger, de or cold. Others congregate on - The old adage "one story is good fill another straw ricks, which in a high wind aredriven along is told" may be found not to have lost its force | the water, each with its weeping load of men and on this occasion, where impartial hearers are women, often weeping for separation from their parents they have left behind; the tops of poplars which lined the roads, now float like words on the

water, but here and there an old tree near a temple with thick strong branches has strong men clinging to it crying for help; uncovered coffins The Seventh Prince had a fainting fit on the are seen and numbers of borses, mules, cattle 3rd inst., which gave rise to the rumour that and dogs have perished. Words fail to express the end had come. His symptoms are anabated, the horrors of the situation, and one can The stomach cannot digest nor retain nearish neither sleep nor rest quietly for thinking ment. No hopesare entertained of his recovery; of them. In one-place a dead child fleated to shore indeed the collin and the trappings of the on the top of a cheet where it had been placed for journey to the last resting place are already safety by its parents, with food and name attucked. In another place a family, all dead, The successor to the Seventh Prince is freely were found with the child placed on the highest discussed by the people, who are forbidden to spot on a couch, well covered with clothes. Durtalk politics. Prince Kung is universally no- ing the former drought, men could at least try For many years His Imperial Highness sequit- able, at a dollar a day, but where amidst the ted himself admirably under the stress of a waters can you rest, and of what use is money. strange and novel situation. Latterly he is said | The agents at Cheng-yang Kuan bought mats to have become somewhat languid in the dis- and bread for distribution, but during the cold from the counsels of the Empress he has kept It is hard to foresee everything. At Yangchow out of the political current, and has indulged his a lekin official went barefoot in wind and waters love of mountain scenery and of a quiet life by to distribute charity and pawned his clothes for frequenting the monasteries. Although Prince the purpose. The Magistrate Yang-shan is an cellent minister in his day, it does not follow that In the perfecture of Ying-chow, Po-chow, and li Yamen will answer all expectations. To take the agents have been often surrounded but back an old servant is not an invariable success. without serious harm. The disturbed condition

making a huge lake of some hundreds of li in circumference. Show-chow and Fengyang were,

being flat, constantly flooded, nor could the silted A Foreign Office report states that in 1886 up Hung-tse Hu let off the water, which accord-

"This is a sad and bitter world," remarked a

Howers on a mun's grave until after he is dead."

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

TO BE DESPATCHED YOR FREIGHT APPLY TO CAPTAIN. AESSBF, B NYMB. DESTINATION To-day, at 3 р.м. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Gleneagles (str.) ... Park..... Hongkong LONDON VIA SURZ CANAL..... Butterfield & Swire To-morrow. Hongkong Thompson Nestor (str.) LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL..... On 28th inst. Monmouthshire(str.) F. G. Cuming. Adamson, Bell & Co. LONDON AND HAUBURG Hongkong Quick despatch. Pustau & Co. Jas. Soronsen. LONDON AND HAMBURG To-day, at 10 A.M. Siemsten & Co..... F. Nagel..... E. Vialla Hongkong Frigga (str.)..... HAVRE AND HAMBURG, &c ... Quick despatch. Hongkong Carlowitz & Co..... HAVRE AND LONDON Quick despotob. Arnhold, Karberg & Co... C. E. Hore Hongkong HAVRE AND LONDON Messageries Maritimes MARSEILLES VIA SAIGON, &c. Molbourne (str.) ... Hongkong Adamson, Bell & Co. VANCOUVER B.O., VIA N'SAKI, &C Parthia(str.).... Melchera & Co..... R. Sander Bayern (str.) BREMEN, & POR'TS of CALL ... Carlowitz & Co..... Hongkong Dagnino Bormida (str.) GENOA VIA BOMBAY, &c P. M. S. S. Co..... City of New York(str.) Hongkong SAN FRANCISCO VIA Y'HANA.... O. & O. S. S. Co. SAN FRANCISCO YIAY!HAMA... Hongkong Quick despatch. Melohers & Co. Alden Bosse . SAN F LANCISCO Quick despatch. Hongkong. Russell & Co Ahrens SAN FRANCISCO Bandaniera Quick despatch. Hongkong Carlowitz & Cc Faulkner..... John M. Blaikie ... NEW YORK Hongkong Quick despatch. Russell & Co.... Paine Rembrandt . NEW YORK Quick despitech. Mary L. Cushing ... L. W. Brown Pusta & Co.... Hongkong NEW YORK ... On 3rd January. Hongkong Russell & Co. Guy Mannering(str.) Hall NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL On 2 th inst. Cattetthun (str.) ... Darke Russell & Co Hongkong SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c ... P. & O. S. N. Co. On 24th inst. Hongkong. Wingsang (str.) ... d'A. de St. Croix BOMBAY VIA STRAITS Jardine, Matheson & Co. ... Hongkong SINGAPORE, PENANG, &c. .. P. & O. S. N. Co..... Hongkong YOKOHAMA VIA NAGABAKI, &c. Butterfield & Swire Hongkong Hoihow (str.)..... CHEFOO Siemssen & Co. To-day, at 4 P.M. Th. W. Starling Hongkong SHANGHAI Yangtere (str.)..... Butterfield & Swire To-day, at 4 P.M. Webster Hongkong SIL NGHAL VIA AMOV..... Prometheus (str.)... On 25th inst. Butterfield & Swire Hongkong Scale Lacrtes (str.)..... SHANGHAI VIA AMOY On 29th inst. Butterfield & Swire Hongkong Jackson Telamon (str.) SHANGHAI VIA AMOY To-morrow, at Noon. Canton (str.)..... Bremner Jardine, Matheson & Co... Hongkong

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Hongkong Observatory, 21st December, 1887.

VESSELS ON THE BERTH. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, Liveroot, and Bremen.) THE Steamship

"FRIGGA," Captain F. Nagel, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-DAY, the 22nd inst., at TEN For Freight or Passage, apply to Agonts.

Hongkong, 14th December, 1887. FOR SHANGHAI. THE Steamship

"YANGTSZE." Captain Th. W. Starling, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 22nd instant. at Four P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 21st December, 1887. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-

SAKI, AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). HE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "THIBET," will leave for the above places TO-MORROW. the 23rd instant, at DAYLIGHT, instead of as

previously advertised. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. Hongkong, 21st December, 1887. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Cherco, HANKOW, and Ports on the YANGTERE.) HE Company's Steamship

Captain Bremner, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 23rd instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 21st December, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. HHE Company's Steamship

Captain Thompson, will be despatched as above. TO-MORROW, the 23rd instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 19th December, 1887.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. HE Company's Stentaship

" WINGSANG." Captain d'A. de St. Croix, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 24th inst., at THREE P.M. This steamer has Superior First Class Accommodation specially constructed to meet the

requirements of tropical climates. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers: Hongkong, 16th December, 1887.

STEAM TO ROMBAY VIZ STRAITS.

INE P. & O. S. N. Co. 8 Steamship "VENETIA." will leave for the above places on SATUR-DAY, the 24th instant. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

Hongkong, 15th December, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ningpo, Chefoo, Newchwarg, Tientsin, HANHOW, and Ports on the XANGTSZE). THE Company's Steamship

SUAFRIES. Captain Scale, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 17th December, 1887. EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, AND

ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QURENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to New ZEALAND, TARMARIA, &c.) THE Steamship "CATTERTRUN," Captain Darke, will be despatched for the above

Ports on the 26th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 19th December, 1887. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR CHEFOO. HE Company's Steamship "HOIHOW."
Captaia Carter, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 26th inst.; at Four P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. HE Steamship

Hougkong, 21st December, 1887.

"MONMOUTH HIRE," F. G. Cuming, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about WEDNES-DAY, the 28th inst. This steamer has Superior Passenger Accommodation. For Freight or Passage apply to

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 16th December, 1887. UNION LINE. FOR NEW YORK; VIA SUEZ CANAL

THE Steamship "GUY MANNERING," Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 3rd January next. For Freight or Passage apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents. Hougkong, 16th December, 1887.

On 27th inst., at Noon To-morrow, at 3 P.M. On 26th inst., at 4 P.M. On 29th inst., at 10 A.M. On 29th inst., at 3 P.M On 10th Jan, at 3 r.m.

On 24th inst., at 5 P.M. To-morrow, Daylight On 26th inst., at 4 P.M.

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TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE. THE CANADIAN PACIFIC AND OTHER CONNECLING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS. FIHE British Steamship.

CANADIAN PACIFIC LINE.

"PARTHIA." 3.167 Tons Register, Arnold, Commander. will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., VI NAGASAKI, KOHE, AND YOKOHAMA. on FRIDAY, the 23rd December, at THREE To be followed by S. S. "ABYSSINIA," on

27th January, 1888, and S. S. "BATAVIA," on 28th February, 1888. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with San Francisco by the regular application. Steamers of the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng-

and, France, and Germany by all trans: Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows:-To Vancouver Mexican \$160.00. To Victoria and San Francisco..... 175.00. To all Common Points in Canada } 200.00. and the United States 5

Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States; should be No. 50a, Queen's Road Central.

sent to the Company's Offices addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Vanconver. B.C. Freight will be received on Board till 4 P.M. on the 22nd December. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the

same will be received by us artil 5 P.M. the day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Freight. apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 21st December, 1887. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN, AND HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS:

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS. THE CO. TY'S STRAMERS WILL CALL AT

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BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES IN EUSSIA.

I 1887, at FOUR P.M., the Company's Japan to Europe. Steamship "BAYERN," Captain R. Sander, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and | CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALLING United States should be sent to the Company's Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until S P.w., on the 24th

Dec., 1887. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has eplendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply \$" V. Co. MELC Arents. Hongking, 28th November, 18-7.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. NOTICE. STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO. LOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERBANEAN, AND BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;

LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX, DUNKIRK, AND ANTWERP. N TUESDAY, the 27th December, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "MELBOURNE," Commandant Lequerre, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal

places of Eprope. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 26th December. (Parcels are not to be sen on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are For further partioniars, apply at the Com-G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. THE Company's Steamship "TELAMON.

Hougkong, 15th December, 1887.

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 29th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 21st December, 1887. |2483FOR SAN FRANCISCO. FIHE 3/3 A. I. I. American Bark

"ALDEN BESSE," Captain O'Brien, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 12th December, 1887. FOR NEW YORK.

"REMBRANDT." Paine. Ma will lead here for the above mick despatch. Port, and v RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 10th Recember, 1887.

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NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES). STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND BOMBAY.

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"BORMIDA," Captain Dagnino, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 29th inst., at TEN A.M. At ROMBAY the Steamers are discharging in PRINCE'S DOCKS. For Further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co.,

Hongkong, 21st December, 1887. U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. J'HE U. S. Mail Steamer" CITY OF NEW

YORK," will be despatched for San Francisco, vià Yokohama, and Honolulu, on THURSDAY, the 29th December, at THREE instant. P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan the United States and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities, VAY | vana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports | 27th instant.

in Mexico, Central and South America, by Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines | due here on the 3rd January. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco\$200.00

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> C. D. HARMAN Agent. Hongkong, 12th December, 1887. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM- to-day, the 22nd inst., at 3.80 P.M. SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES.

MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH

ABIFRICA, AND EUROPE; VIA THE

OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. THE Steamship "BELGIO" will despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohams, on TUESDAY, the 10th January, at THREE P.M. Conrection being made at Yokohams with Steamers (1902 hal and Japan

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day pre- City of New York, on Thursday, the 29th inst., vious to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows:— To San Francisco \$200.00 333.00 To Liverpool

of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the The hours observed in closing the Mails, &c. Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on will be the same as in the case of the British Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year months, will be The Post Office declines all responsibility for allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes,

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Hongkong, 21st December, 1887. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. THE A. I. British Bark " BLACKADDER," C. E. Hore. Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1887. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. HE 3/3 L 1.1 Norwegian bark

Jas. Sorensen, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have a quick despatch. For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 10th December, 1887. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. HE A I French Barque

"MARIANNE," Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 14th December, 1887. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship

"MARY L. CUSHING," L. W. Brown, Muster, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. ·For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 19th December, 1887. | 2460 FOR NEW YORK. FIRE 3/3 L II British Ship

"JOHN M. BLAIKIE," Captain Faulkner, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 7th November, 1887. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. HHE 100 A. I. British Bark

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Arratoon Appear, with the Indian mail, left Singapore on the 18th, and is due here on or about the 25th instant.

THE FRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Sindh, with the French mail of the 18th November, left Singapore at 7 s.m. on the 18th, and may be expected here on or AMERICAN PORTS up to CALLAO. Toking about the 25th instant. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 11th October.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. The Canadian Pacific steamer Abyssinia, with the next Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the 26th November, and is due here on the 25th

THE AMERICAN MAILS. The O. & O. steamer Belgic, with the American mail of the 29th ultimo, leaves Yokohama on the 23rd, and may be expected here on or about the 28th instant.

The P. M. steamer City of Peking, with the American mail of the 10th December, left San Francisco on that do and is due here on or about the 8th January.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The Glen Line steamer Glenorchy left Sin-

gapore on the 17th, and is due here on the 23rd The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Lacrice laft. Singapore on the 16th, and is due here 1 the

23rd instant. The O. S. S. Co.'s ateamer Telamon left the United States, via Overland Railways, to Singapore on the 20th, and is due here on the The P. & O. extra steamer Zambesi left Bombay at 5 p.m. on the 15th December, and is

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When Correspondence has been mis-sent of delayed (both of which are liable to happen To other European points at proportionate occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers note on the cover, Sent to ----, or Received of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a

> more trouble in the end. The Postal Guide for 1887, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory, p. 385 large edition, p. 701 small edition. This is the only authorised complete Summary of

> mistake to let such matters pass for fear of

Postal information published in Hongkong. The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Singapore.—Per Frigga, to-day, the 22nd instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Straits and London.—Per Gleneagles, today, the 22nd inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Amoy and Shanghai .- Per Prometheus, For Shanghai.-Per Yangtese, to-day, the 22nd inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Thibet, to day, the 22nd inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow and Shanghai.-Per Canton, tomorrow, the 23rd inst., at 11.30 A.M.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, Vancouver, B.C., United States, &c .- Por Parthia, tomorrow, the 23rd inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Straits and Calcutta.—Per Wingsang. be on Saturday, the 24th inst., at 2.80 P.M. For Haifong.-Per Frejr, on Saturday, the 24th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Bangkok.—Per Protos, on Sunday, the 25th inst., at 9.00 A.M. For Straits and Bombay.-Per Bormida, on Thursday, the 29th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Yokohama and San Francisco.—Per

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. To San Francisco and return; 350.00 The German Contract Packet Bayern will available for 6 months be despatched on MONDAY, the 26th December, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits To other European points at proportionate Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, India, rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers Aden, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, &c., &c.

Packet. Correspondence should be marked Per German Medi, or with the name of the Packet. N MONDAY, the 26th day of December, does not apply to through fares from China and Coin, or Jewellery, 274, where Registration has been neglected, wil. make no enquiries into

> MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Melbourne will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 27th instant, For further information as to Freight with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Com- and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies. Pondichery, Madras, [4] Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Mal' and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closure The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into

alleged losses of such letters. HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the Contract Packet :-Day of Departure. Noon.-Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters coases. Posting . of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

3.00 p.m.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely E. Vialla, Master, will load here for the above 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until

> time of departure. THE FRENCH MAILS. Day before Departure. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always Day of Departure.

A.M., Post Office opens. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. 10.30 A.M., Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until

11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure. No responsibility can be accepted by the Post Office for erroneous replies to verbal enquiries, or to notes addressed to subordinate officers. The shroffs told off to sell stamps should especially not be regarded as able to give correct

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BLACKADDER, Brit. ship, Hore. - Turner & Co. Bylgia, Ger. bk., Weip.—Wieler & Co. H. N. Bangs, Amr. bk., Bangs.-Master. MARIE, Ger. str., Behaefer.-Wieler & Co. NORWAY, Mor. bk., Alberthsen .- Chinese. PEKING, Brit. str., Henermann.—Sieussen & Co. REMBRANDT, Amr. ship, Paine.—Russell & Co. SEA SWALLOW, Brit. bk., Maher.-Chinese.

THE DAILY PRESS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22nd, 1887. SHIPPING IN PORT. POR SALE. NOT CES TO CONSIGNEES. INSURANCES SHIPPING IN JAPANESE WATERS. SHIPPING IN HONGKONG HARBOUR. FOR SALE. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVI- THE LONDON, ASSURANCE FLAG DESTINA. THE HARKNESS FIRE DESTROYER TON: VESSEL. GATION COMPANY. COMPLED EER. DATE OF PLAG Consigness. AND BIG. CAPTAIN. LEFIVA VREBELS. 510 . INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS -HAND GRENADES FUR EXTINGUISH-AND RIG. ARBIVAL FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BA-MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE PIRST. ING FIRES AT THE START. TAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND SAIGON. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. A.D. 1720. NAGASA SI. BONGKONO. THE Company's Steamship Hongkong, 19th December, 1887. IN PORT ON 14TH DECEMBER, 1887. THE Undersigned having been appointed OTEAMERS. Agents for the above Corporation, are Dan, str | 355 | Arnhold, Karberg & Co FOR SALE. 21 Revabeok ∧ oti⊽: "BANTAM," Skoof 87 (Holme, inger & Co prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-Bat Jau 815 Siemssen & Co Brit, str 6 Kohler having arrived from the above Ports, Con-871 C. & J. Trading Co Hasenwinke DANISH EXPORT BEER from the TUBORGS FABRIKKER, COPENHAGEN, Dec. Ger. str Independent MARINE DEPARTMENT. 923 Bau Hin & Co Brit. str 11 Coulter signees of Cargo by her are hereby informed 71 G. W. Lake & Co. Anir.str Teb Hung Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, Bombay 1499 | Carlowitz & Co Ital, str 20 Daguino Nov. 21 that their Goods are being landed at their 678 | Holme, Ringer & Co Ros. str Jardine, Matheson & Co Shanghei Vladivostock in Quarts and Pints. 1110 Brit. str 558 Holme, Ringer & Co l Bremner risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Dec. 19 Scott Belg.atr LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Watergeus Kewloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., at West | China, and Australia. 1328. Order Brit, str Chancellor 21 Whayman 556 Takasima Colliery Dec. 13 Gornitska Ger. str Wismar Hongkong, 19th December, 1887. FIRE DEPARTMENT. Yuen Fat Hong Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 26th Ger. str 9 P. Haye SAILING VESHELS. S. Francisco Policies issued for long or short periods at P. M. S. S. Co City of N. York Dec. Amr.str 19 Searle 400 | Nippon Yusen Kaishia Barge Christensen FOR SALE. Kozaki-maru Jardine. Mathesun & Brit. str 64 * current rates. 23 J. Ogston instant, will be subject to rent. 1425 H. C. & M. Steamboat LIFE DEPARTMENT. Canton Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, HAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE." June 15 W. E. Clar Brit. str No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ger. str | 1400 | Siemssen & Co Hamburg 14 P. agel Dec. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by -HEIDSIECK & Co.-Friggs, IN PORT ON 12TH DECEMBER, 1987. 1503 C. M. S. N. Co at reduced rates. Chi. str Dec 21 Croud Fushun JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Brit. str | 1837 | Jardine, Matheson & Co | London MONOPOLE RED SEAL (medium dry). D c. '21 Park Gleneagles Brit. str | 1872 | Captain Agents. Brit. tr | 1182 | Douglas Lapraik & Co 10 Buyers Altuscrain Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. Coast Fort Do. "see" RED FOIL } (dry). Dec. 15 S. Ashton Ger. str | 5 8 | Chinese Asitan Hongkong, 19th December, 1887. Brit, str | 2235 But erfield & Swire Samme Alwine Seyd CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE Liloyd Br t. str | 1575 | Cornes & Co GOLD FOIL Hankow Dec. 9 Pankham 1344 H. C. & M. Steamboat Co. Federation Brit, str INSURANCE COMPANY. 13. B. Lefavour Ger. str | 1:00 | Simon, Evers & Co (extra dry). "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. Honaus 7 T. N ge! Frigga 779 | Bun Hin & Co Brif. str 1867 Browne & Co Iliasua: CARLOWITZ & Co., Brit. str | 1061 | H. C. & M. Steamboat Co | Macao Park. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. ESTABLISHED 1805. Glenoagles. k inkiang Jap. str | 30 Nippon Yusen Kaishia Sole Agents for Dec. Idzumo-maru 1060 M. B. Kaishia Brit. str 11:19 R. vnall & Co Brit. str 1870 Hrowne & Co Marcia HEIDSIECK & Co., REIMS, THE Undersigned having been appointed 7 Them Dec. Geelong Brit. str | 805 | Hop Hing Hong S. S. "DENBIGHSTIRE." 20 Blackburne Nanshan For Hongkong, China, and Japan. M'monthshire Dec. Agents for the above Company are pre-7 Cuming Brit, str | 2035 | Adamson, Bell & Co FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-Jas, Arnold arthia SAILING VESSELS. Hongkong, 1st July, 1885. pared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire Canton DON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. 254 | Chinese Brit. str Amr. bk | 911 , C. & J. Trading Co. 15 Norton Nov. on the usual terms. Harvard 117 | H. & W. Dook Co Pilot Fish Stopani - W. E. Drummon FOR SALE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. 4 Lane Dec. lionauwar . 1842 R.C. & M. Steamhoat Co Canton J. P. Hoyland Amr. sh | 1 48 | C. & J. Trading Co Unt all goods, with the exception of Opium, Dow John (nrrier Shanghei Hongkong, January, 1882. 1357 | Butterfield & Swire 19 Webster Brit. str HEIDSIECK, S Prometheus Amr. st | - | C. & J. Trading Co are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns Ger, str | 1093 | Ed. Schollhass & Co Oct. 14 Morse W. G. Davis FIRE INSURAN :E COMPANY, OF 1877 CHAMPAGNE, 1880 WHITE SEAL. 18 Soremen of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company 1530 Order IN HAMBURG. \$22..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. Raylton Dixon Dec. 19 Johannson Nor, ste YOROFAMA. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves 18 T. H. Clegg | Brit. str | 1109 | Butterfield & Swire Tientsin \$23..... per case of 2 dozen pints.
PAUL DUBOIS & ('o.'s IN PORT ON 10TH DECEMBER, 1887. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above delivery may be obtained. Tuiwanfoo Douglas Lapraik & Co 820 Brit. str Thales Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice Yobohama 1671 P. & O. S. N. Co 18 T. F. Creery Brit, str CLARET, GRAND VIN LEOVILLE. Fr. str | 2147 | Messagories Maritimes Thibet to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. TO- RISKS at Current Rates. Vimont Bom By Ava 1609 | F. & O. S. N. Co Brit. str Brit, str 11 8 M., Heimann & to, Venetia. \$25..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. Fargubar PUSTAU & Co., Dec. 19 Cheong Sing bi atr Bengloe Brit str | 1968 | Smith, Baker & Co CLARET, CHATEAU LAROSE. Waiting Wildguose No Claims will be admitted after the Goods Cambodia Dep. 652 H. C. & M. Steamboat Co. Canton W. J Risby | Brit, etr ! \$13..... per case of 1 dozen quarts. White Cloud Ger. str | 1900 | H. Ahrens & Co Dec. 21 De St. Croix Brit. str | 1517 | Jardine, Matheson & Co Calcutta Gen. Werder Deo. 9 Pohuckmann Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining per case of 2 dozen pints. Jap. str | 1027 | Lighthouse Bepartment Wingrang after the 22nd inst. will be subject to rent. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-Brit. str | 814 | Sienssen & Co Shanghai Meiji-mara Dec. 16 Starling Brit, str | 1451 | Smith, Baker & Co Yang teze PONTET CANET. All Claims again t the steamer must be pre-M-tapedia PANY, LIMITED. \$9.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. O't allaghan | Brit, str | 1620 | A. Center sented to the undersigned on or before the 22nd THABOX SAILING YESSELS. 1218 Adamson, Bell & Go PALMER MARGAUX. instant, or they will not be recognised. Terier - HEAD OFFICE,-Hongkong. 37.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. 1671 | P. & O. S. N. Co No Fire Insurance has been effected. Thibet THETY CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS. 237 Master Dec. 13 Kuight \$8.50 per case of 2 dozen pints. Jap. str | 1350 | Nippon Yusen Kaishia Airlie 9 Wynn S. 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Hongkong, 1st September, 1857. 306 Nor. bk Siemesen & Co WINES AND SPIRITS. Emilie 54 Ciptain Brit.scb Nov. 27 Bressey Chinego WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION SIEMSSEN & Co. Ger. bk THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-9 Bruha Amr. bk | 1488 | R. Isaacs & Co Erikonig Chi ese Brit, bk 119 H. E. Tapley Rich, Telfa Hongkong, 1st January, 1884. TUITE OF ROOMS fronting the Prays and PANY, LIMITED. 312 Master Amr. bkt F. S. Baugs Pedder's Street upon the Ground Floor FOR SALE. 1778 | Unrlowitz & Co New York SHIPPING IN SOUTHERN PURTS. HEAD OFFICE-HONGEONG. Faulbmer: febn M. Blaikir et of Bailding recently occupied by Messrs. 803 Captain Brit. bk Lance AT WHOLESALE PRICES. CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000. MELCHERS & Co. -48 Master Brit. sh D. Hamilton Nov. These Premisosare welladapted for OFFICES 1382 Vaughan Dec. 1 CACCONE'S SHERRY, PORT. CONSIGNEES. or STORES. 376 Ed Schellbass & Co CAPTAIN. VESSELS. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Brit. sch AND BIG. Nov. 26 ARRIVAL CLARETS, CHAMPAGNE. 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Salvadora "SINGER" SEWING MACHINES. Contributors of Business, whether they are SAILING VERSELS. Shareholders or r.ot. COMMODIOUS GODOWN, Prays SHIPPING IN CHINA WATERS. Brit. sh , 1518 | W. F. Stevenson & Co WOO LIN YUEN. W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., Sept. 27 Me ntosh A Central. detrists. Amr. bk 1131 W. F. Stevanson & Co Bank Buildings. Secretary. Aug. 19 Winn IMMEDIATE Possession. Benj. F. Hunt 871 W. F. Stevenson & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 1886. DESTINA HEAD OFFICE, 1 Ols-n Oot. CONSIGNEES. Apply to No. 2, Queen's Road West, Defeuror: mith, Beil & vo CAPTAIN. Brit. 8b . 1848 TIO V. VESSELS. Sept. 13 Wilson AND RIG. HO TUNG, ARRIVAL FOR SALE CHEAP. Drumeltan Hongkong, 14th March, 188k 1555 W. F. Stevenson & Co Aug. 20 Ohrlaff Brit, sh JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Formora -179 | Ker & C> O CYLINDRICAL TUBULAR GUN-FIRANSATLANTICFIREINSURANCE Fred. B. Tayler Oct. | 28 Hongkong, 8th December, 1887. MACAO. 1400 | Smith, Bell & co BOAT'S BOILERS, 150 H.P. each, with Frit, sb COMPANY OF HAMBURG. S pt. 7 Teit TO BE LET. 360 | C. M. S. N. Co fittings, tested to 150 lbs to the square inch; Kiang-ping Chi. str 15 1 | Findlay, R & Co. Jates Bowes Sept. 12 Henry Aur. sh I.C. & M. Steamboat Co Canton The Undersigned, having been appointed they are suitable for a vessel about 600 tons, or Kinng-chow Brit. str 1420 W. F. Stevenson & Co E. Gaine THE PREMISES. Mary L. Stone Jane 28 1209 W. F. Stevenson & Co Agents for the above Company, are prepared to J. H. Dutton Brit. str Order would be very suitable for driving stationary Recorder Sept. 17 Fraser 247/9 Queen's Road East. Nagpore ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current WHAMPUA. engines. 6 Cornish BOILERS 16 ft. long by 6 ft. 452 Order Amr. bk -17 Sterling Apply to Nomad 605 | Order 877 Findlay, R. & Co in diameter, double rivetted, with 4 Galway's Escort
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